

To request a Time Extension (TE) or Alternative Diversion Requirement (ADR), please complete and sign this form and return it to your Office of Local Assistance (OLA) representative at the address below, along with any additional information requested by OLA staff. When all documentation has been received, your OLA representative will work with you to prepare for your appearance before the Board. If you have any questions about this process, please call (916) 341-6199 to be connected to your OLA representative.


Mail completed documents to:

California Integrated Waste Management Board
Office of Local Assistance, (MS 25)
1001 I Street
PO Box 4025
Sacramento CA 95812-4025

General Instructions:

For a Time Extension complete Sections I, II, III-A, IV-A, and V.

For an Alternative Diversion Requirement complete Sections I, II, III-B, IV-B and V.

Section I: Jurisdiction Information and Certification <i>All respondents must complete this section.</i>			
I certify under penalty of perjury that the information in this document is true and correct to the best of my knowledge, and that I am authorized to make this certification on behalf of:			
Jurisdiction Name Town of Mammoth Lakes		County Mono County	
Authorized Signature 		Title <i>Personnel Director</i> Compliance Coordinator/Environmental Analyst	
Type/Print Name of Person Signing <i>Michael Grosskott</i> Steve Mercer	Date <i>4/26/05</i>	Phone (760) 934-8989 ext 252- <i>264</i>	
Person Completing This Form (please print or type) Jim Greco		Title Owner/Principal California Waste Associates	
Phone (916) 933-2327	E-mail Address jgwaste@aol.com		Fax (916) 933-3157
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Section II—Cover Sheet

This cover sheet is to be completed for each Time Extension (TE) or Alternative Diversion Requirement (ADR) requested.

1. Eligibility

Has your jurisdiction filed its Source Reduction and Recycling Element, Household Hazardous Waste Element, and Nondisposal Facility Element with the Board (must have been filed by July 1, 1998 if you are requesting an ADR)?

☐ No. If no, stop; not eligible for a TE or ADR.

☒ Yes. If yes, then eligible for a TE or ADR.

2. Specific Request and Length of Request

Please specify the request desired.

☒ Time Extension Request

Specific years requested _

Is this a second request? ☐ No ☒ Yes Specific years requested. _2005 through
12/31/05

(Note: Requests for an additional extension will need to address why the jurisdiction's efforts to meet the 50% goal by the end of the first extension were not successful.)

☐ Alternative Diversion Requirement Request (*Not allowed for Regional Agencies*).

Specific ADR requested _%, for the years _

Is this a second ADR request? ☐ No ☐ Yes Specific ADR requested _%, for the
years _

(Note: Requests for an additional ADR will need to address why the jurisdiction's efforts to meet 50% by the end of the first ADR period were not successful.)

Note: Extensions may be requested anytime by a jurisdiction, but will only be effective in the years from January 1, 2000 to January 1, 2006. An original request for a TE/ADR may be granted for any period up to three years and subsequent requests for TE/ADR may extend the original request or be based on new circumstances but the total number of years for all requests cannot total more than five years or extend beyond January 1, 2006.

Section IIIA—TIME EXTENSION

Within this section, discuss your jurisdiction's progress in implementing diversion programs that were planned to achieve 50%. Provide any additional information that demonstrates "good faith effort." The CIWMB shall determine your jurisdiction's progress in demonstrating "good faith effort" towards complying with AB 939. Note: The answers to each question should be comprehensive and provide specific details regarding the jurisdiction's situation.

Attach additional sheets if necessary—please reference each response to the appropriate cell number (e.g., IIIA-1).

- 1. Why does your jurisdiction need more time to meet the 50% goal? Describe why SRRE selected programs did not achieve 50% diversion. Identify barriers to meeting the 50% goal and briefly indicate how they will be overcome.**

The Town requested a 1st SB 1066 3-year time extension in July 2002 for a period ending July 23, 2005. However, this request was granted for a period ending December 31, 2004. Three primary diversion programs were targeted for expansion in the plan of correction, namely: (1) inerts recycling; (2) wood waste diversion; and (3) commercial collection recycling (cardboard and CRV containers). A 4th program, the expansion of the Town's MRF was also proposed as a supporting program in order to facilitate increased storage capacity for baled cardboard and other materials. All programs in the POC were implemented except for the MRF expansion. Delays were experienced with the MRF expansion due to property acquisition barriers. Additionally, effective implementation of the inerts and wood waste diversion programs were slow to achieve targeted diversion tonnages due to higher than expected gate fees.

Recently the Town's solid waste service provider, Mammoth Disposal, selected adjacent property for the MRF expansion. Mammoth Disposal owns the property, but needs to request a rate adjustment. Mammoth Disposal plans to prepare and submit an options cost analysis by the end of March. The Town plans to agendize the options analysis in April, 2005 and plans to consider a franchise extension to facilitate an economic foundation for constructing the expanded MRF. Also, the landfill operator, Mono County Public Works Department, is working with the Town to secure control of the countywide waste stream. This is important because it will lead to more favorably pricing incentives for diversion of inerts and wood waste.

A 2nd time extension through 12/31/05 will enable these programs to be fully implemented and refined.

Additional barriers which have impeded the Town's progress have included inaccurate waste generation measurement resulting from the impact in population and visitor surges due to the Town being a resort destination (e.g., skiers, vacationers, 2nd home owners). It is felt that the Town's original 1991 base year waste generation and the adjustment methodology may not yield accurate reporting year waste generation estimates.

- 2. Why does your jurisdiction need the amount of time requested? Describe any relevant circumstances in the jurisdiction that contribute to the need for a Time Extension.**

The Town is requesting additional time to develop, construct, and fully implement the MRF expansion and cooperate with the County to realize increased operational effectiveness with the Benton Crossing Landfill-based diversion programs.

The County did not assume the responsibility for the landfill operation until March 27th, 2001. Prior to the transition, the private operator had few diversion programs in place due to an effective contract. In 2004, the County Public Works Department nearly doubled the diversion realized through the use of dried sludge as an ADC, tire recycling, white goods and scrap metals processing, and the diversion of wood and inert materials. In 2002 7,263 tons were diverted at the landfill. In 2004, the quantity diverted totaled 14,709 tons. The landfill-based diversion programs coupled with the MRF expansion to allow the continued deployment of cardboard and beverage recycling containers will allow the Town to significantly increase diversion performance.

3. Describe your jurisdiction's Good Faith Efforts to implement the programs in its SRRE.

- a) Mammoth Mountain Ski Area (MMSA), the Town's largest waste generator, at the encouragement of the Town, established in 2000 a 50% diversion goal onsite and continues to emphasize recycling.
- b) The Town's hauler, Mammoth Disposal, continues to cooperate with the Town to facilitate recycling and work with a new recycler, Sierra Conservation Project (SCP). SCP collects recyclable CRV materials from businesses throughout the area.
- c) The Town has implemented most of its selected programs as noted in the PARIS.
- d) The Town adopted a buy-recycle procurement policy.

4. Provide any additional relevant information that supports the request.

- a) The Town is currently preparing a waste generation study for the year 2004, which it plans to submit to the CIWMB for review and consideration by March 1st, 2005. The study is expected to more accurately estimate the waste generated in 2004 and may be the basis for a new base year or the template for measuring diversion with the generation-based methodology from year-to-year.
- b) The Town has experienced significant growth due to development. The North Village project development and additional new home and commercial construction continues to occur. The Town is concerned that this rapid growth, which results in increased waste generation, is not accurately estimated by the CIWMB Adjustment Methodology.
- c) The Town is working with the County so that once flow control of the countywide waste stream is secured, a rate structure emphasizing source separation of construction and demolition debris to realize increased diversion of these materials at job sites and for road maintenance will be achieved.
- d) The Town is interested in obtaining continuing technical assistance from CIWMB staff to enhance diversion program planning, development, implementation, and public awareness.
- e) The Town is located in a rural county which is also a resort destination, thereby experiencing great influxes of people and waste generation from non-year-round-residents. It is far from recyclables markets increasing the cost to transport recyclables for processing and sale or reuse.

Section IV A—PLAN OF CORRECTION

A Plan of Correction is required by PRC Section 41820(a)(6)(B). The plan is fundamentally a description of the actions the jurisdiction will take to meet the 50% goal by the expiration of the Time Extension.

Attach additional sheets if necessary.

Residential %		24%	Non-residential %		76%
PROGRAM TYPE Please use the Board's Program Types. The Program Glossary is online at: www.ciwmb.ca.gov/LGCentral/PARIS/Codes/Reduce.htm	NEW or EXPAND	DESCRIPTION OF PROGRAM	FUNDING SOURCE	DATE FULLY COMPLETED	ESTIMATED PERCENT DIVERSION
Inerts Recycling (4060)	Expand	Through increased operational effectiveness and reduced landfill gate fees for clean source separated recyclable concrete, rubble, and asphalt processing at the Benton Crossing Landfill.	Rates	12/31/05	8%
Wood Waste Diversion (4050)	Expand	Town worked with the County to purchase a tub grinder to be stationed at the LF for processing and using chipped wood. Through increased operational experience and fee incentives, wood diversion increase.	Rates	12/31/05	5%
Commercial Onsite Pickup (2030)	Expand	Mammoth Disposal, pursuant to its current franchise agreement, will increase the number of containers placed for cardboard and other recyclable materials for businesses and multifamily residences.	Rates	12/31/05	3%
Sludge ADC at BCLF (4010)	Expand	As the Town continues to grow, the County will manage increased sludge generation and divert the dried sludge for use as an alternative daily cover. Operational improvements should result in increased diversion as this segment of the waste stream grows.	Rates	12/31/05	3%
MRF (7000)	Expand	Mammoth Disposal will procure land and construct a building with a new baler to enable the recyclables collection activities to increase.	Rates	12/31/05	3%
Total Estimated Diversion Percent From New and/or Expanded Programs					22%
Current Diversion Rate Percent From Latest Annual Report					28%
Total Planned Diversion Percent Estimated					50%

PROGRAMS SUPPORTING DIVERSION ACTIVITIES

PROGRAM TYPE	NEW or EXPANDED	DESCRIPTION OF PROGRAM	DATE FULLY COMPLETED
DOC Grant	Expand	The Town plans to continue to respond to notices of funding availability from DOC to purchase recycling containers and develop and implement public awareness programs in conjunction with Mammoth Disposal and Mammoth Mountain Ski Area.	12/31/05, continuing

County LF Tip Fee	New	Mono County implemented on 7/18/01 a new fee schedule with differential rates, which provide an incentive to divert material by segregated containerization (clean versus mixed with contaminants) However, the Town feels that the differential rate can be greater in order to facilitate increased diversion. The County is willing to work with the Town but the County wants to secure control of the entire waste stream collected throughout the County in order to realize the most effective economies of scale.	8/1/05
"Mammoth Cares" Public Education Campaign	Expand	Joint program including MMSA, Mammoth Disposal, and Town which promotes campaign via a logo, print material, public announcements.	12/31/05
Business Recycling Awareness	New	Town will promote through public media outlets (cable TV, newspapers, Town newsletters) featuring businesses which recycle.	Ongoing
Inerts Diversion Education	Expand	Town staff will continue to participate in Construction Contractors Association meetings promoting source separation and diversion of waste building materials.	Ongoing



April 13, 2005

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RE: Town of Mammoth Lakes 2nd SB 1066 Request – Supporting program Addition

Dear Yasmin:

In February you should have received a completed 2nd SB 1066 Time Extension request through an end date of December 31st, 2005 for the Town of Mammoth Lakes.

Pursuant to your conversation with Jim Greco, California Waste Associates, the Town requests that the following “supporting program” be included in the SB 1066 time extension request “plan of correction”:

Program Type	New or Expand	Description of Program	Date Fully Completed
Generation Study	New	The Town will prepare a waste generation study for the years 2003 and 2004 to better identify and track ongoing diversion activities. The Town's waste generation is significantly affected by tourism, recreational visitors (e.g., skiers, vacationers, 2 nd home owners). The reporting year waste generation is not accurately estimated by the adjustment methodology. The Town plans to use the waste generation studies for calculating its diversion rate using the generation-based methodology.	5/30/05

Please contact me at 760-934-8989 extension 266 or Jim Greco at 916-933-2327 if you want to discuss any of the above. Thank you.

Sincerely,

Mike Grossblatt
Assistant to the Town Manager

cc Jim Greco, California Waste Associates